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members 515 are further provided on the outer surface of the tubular members 205 and 215, in order to optimally seal the interface between the radially expanded tubular members 205 and 215 and the interior walls of the preexisting structure 505."

with the following paragraph:

β₁ --As illustrated in Fig. 3, in steps 135 and 140, the tubular members 205 and 215 are then positioned within a preexisting structure 305, and radially expanded into contact with the interior walls of the preexisting structure 305 using an expansion cone 310. The tubular members 205 and 215 may be radially expanded into intimate contact with the interior walls of the preexisting structure 305, for example, by: (1) pushing or pulling the expansion cone 310 through the interior of the tubular members 205 and 215; and/or (2) pressurizing the region within the tubular members 205 and 215 behind the expansion cone 310 with a fluid. In a preferred embodiment, one or more sealing members 315 are further provided on the outer surface of the tubular members 205 and 215, in order to optimally seal the interface between the radially expanded tubular members 205 and 215 and the interior walls of the preexisting structure 305.--

(2) On page 8, lines 16-19, replace the following paragraph:

"In a preferred embodiment, the radial expansion of the tubular members 205 and 215 into contact with the interior walls of the preexisting structure 505 is performed substantially as disclosed in one or more of the following co-pending patent applications:"

with the following paragraph:

β₂ --In a preferred embodiment, the radial expansion of the tubular members 205 and 215 into contact with the interior walls of the preexisting structure 305 is performed substantially as disclosed in one or more of the following co-pending patent